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Applicant:

Fumio TAKAGI

Group Art Unit:

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Examiner:

Shih-wen Hsieh

Title:

INK-JET PRINTING APPARATUS, METHOD OF FILLING LIQUID IN INK-JET HEAD THEREOF, APPARATUS FOR MANUFACTURING MICRO-ARRAY AND METHOD OF FILLING LIQUID IN EJECTION

HEAD THEREOF

Attorney Docket:

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AMENDMENT AND PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed May 31, 2005, please amend the application as follows and consider the remarks set forth below.

Applicant hereby petitions under the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) for an extension of time in which to respond to the outstanding Office Action and includes a fee as set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a) with this response for such extension of time.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 4 of this paper.